



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## Petition to Revive an Abandoned Application Under 37 C.F.R. §1.181

Applicant: Robert H. Francis	)	Date: September 2, 2005
Serial No.: 09/771,799	)	Group Art Unit: 2121
Filed: January 29, 2001	)	Examiner: Barnes, Crystal J.

For: A PROCESS FOR RAPIDLY CONTROLLING A PROCESS VARIABLE WITHOUT OVERSHOOT USING A TIME DOMAIN POLYNOMIAL FEEDBACK CONTROLLER

Mail Stop Petition Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

> RE: Petition to the Director Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.181 to Revive an Abandoned Application ·

## Dear Sir:

- 1. On January 29, 2001 the instant application was filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Prosecution proceeded, eventually resulting in a final office action being mailed from the Office on February 1, 2005.
- 2. On July 1, 2005, Applicant filed a continuation in part application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) claiming priority from the instant application. The continuation in part application has since been assigned serial no. 11/173,024.
- 3. In the continuation in part application, Applicant included a claim for priority from the instant application, noted the continuity type and referenced by serial no. the instant application in the Application Data Sheet, included the required fee for a two month extension of time, provided permission for the Office to charge any additional fees or underpayments of fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17, noted on the Fee Transmittal form that the additional fees were being

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